

HOUSE BILL No. 1179

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 21-12-13-2; IC 21-13-8.

Synopsis: Minority student teaching stipend. Provides that a minority student who participates in a school administration internship as part of the student's graduate degree program is eligible to receive a stipend from, currently, the student teaching stipend for minorities.

Effective: July 1, 2016.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 21-12-13-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.2-2014,
2 SECTION 92, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2016]: Sec. 2. (a) This section applies to the following
4 scholarship, stipend, and fee remission statutes:

5 (1) IC 21-12-3.

6 (2) IC 21-12-4.

7 (3) IC 21-12-6.

8 (4) IC 21-12-8.

9 (5) IC 21-12-9.

10 (6) IC 21-13-2.

11 (7) IC 21-13-7.

12 (8) IC 21-13-8.

13 (9) IC 21-13-4.

14 (10) IC 21-14-5.

15 (11) IC 21-14-6-2.

16 (b) Except as provided in section 3 of this chapter **and except for**
17 **a stipend granted under IC 21-13-8 to an individual described in**



1 **IC 21-13-8-1(2)(B)**, a grant or reduction in tuition or fees, including all
 2 renewals and extensions, under any of the laws listed in subsection (a)
 3 may not exceed the number of terms that constitutes four (4)
 4 undergraduate academic years, as determined by the commission, and
 5 must be used within eight (8) years after the date the individual first
 6 applies and becomes eligible for benefits under the applicable law.

7 SECTION 2. IC 21-13-8-1, AS ADDED BY P.L.205-2013,
 8 SECTION 329, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 9 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016]: Sec. 1. An individual may apply for a
 10 stipend under this chapter if the individual:

11 (1) is a minority student;

12 (2) will participate in:

13 (A) student teaching as part of the student's degree
 14 requirements; **or**

15 **(B) a school administration internship as part of the**
 16 **student's graduate degree program;**

17 (3) has earned a cumulative grade point average upon:

18 (A) entering student teaching; **or**

19 **(B) beginning a school administration internship;**

20 of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent as determined by the
 21 eligible institution; and

22 (4) meets any other minimum criteria established by the
 23 commission.

24 SECTION 3. IC 21-13-8-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.205-2013,
 25 SECTION 329, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 26 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016]: Sec. 2. (a) A student who has applied for
 27 the stipend under section 1 of this chapter and has been approved by
 28 the commission may request payment of the stipend after
 29 demonstrating that the student will engage in student teaching **or a**
 30 **school administration internship** during the upcoming academic
 31 term.

32 (b) The stipend may not exceed:

33 (1) for a student with a cumulative grade point average of at least
 34 3.5 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent as determined by the eligible
 35 institution, based on the most recently concluded academic term,
 36 five thousand dollars (\$5,000); **or**

37 (2) for a student with a cumulative grade point average of at least
 38 3.0 and less than 3.5 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent as
 39 determined by the eligible institution, based on the most recently
 40 concluded academic term, four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

41 (c) The commission shall pay the stipend directly to the student.

